

PREMIER FAILS TO FORM CABINET HOUSE PASSES SOLDIER'S BONUS

SENATE WILL SPEED
PASSEAGE ALTHOUGH
HOOVER IS OPPOSED

Dispute May Menace
Early Adjournment
Of Congress

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The soldier's bonus, prohibition and Muscle Shoals issues threw a heavy shadow today over the Hoover administration's program in congress for enacting eight major appropriation bills in the fourteen legislative days remaining before the March 4 adjournment.

The bonus bill, increasing the loan capacity of bonus certificates from 22% to 50 per cent, reached the senate after passing the house by the overwhelming vote of 363 to 39, despite White House opposition. An overwhelming majority of the senate favored its immediate enactment to force President Hoover either to sign or veto it before the adjournment of congress.

Unless this issue is met by the administration, a strong group of veterans' friends in the senate threatened to tie up all other legislation. Senator Couzens (R) of Mich., served notice he would block all other measures if the administration tried to pigeon-hole the bonus bill or delay its enactment so the President could kill it by a pocket-veto after congress adjourned.

The senate finance committee will meet tomorrow morning to consider the house bill, which not only increased the amount a veteran can borrow on his bonus certificate but reduced to 4½ per cent the rate of interest to be charged him.

Friends of the bill said it would call for a maximum outlay of \$760,000,000 and that Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon announced six years ago that the treasury would meet that expenditure under the retirement fund then established. Fees of the bill itself, its maximum cost might be \$1,700,000,000.

Administration spokesmen, supporting the President in his opposition, may attempt to amend the bill in committee, so as to reduce its burden on the treasury. The measure's friends however commanded a majority of the committee and were expected to defeat any such maneuver.

The house vote—363 to 39—and the expected senate majority plainly indicate the bill can be passed over the President's veto, unless there is a decided change in sentiment. The house usually upholds presidential vetoes but in this instance Speaker Longworth (R) of Ohio, has broken with the President and led the fight for the bill's enactment.

The prohibition issue alarmed administration leaders, not because it provoked considerable debate and delayed action on appropriation bills.

**HARRY DAUGHERTY
DRAWN INTO FRAUD
TRIAL OF BROTHER**

Attended Conference
Held In Columbus
Is Disclosed

WASHINGTON, C. H. O., Feb. 17.—Presence of Harry M. Daugherty, attorney general in the cabinet of President Harding, at a conference in Columbus, April 9, 1929, between state banking officials and directors of the Ohio State Bank, today was written into the records of the trial of Mal S. Daugherty on charges of fraud in connection with the failure of the Ohio State Bank.

Significance, if any, of his presence at the Columbus conference was expected to be brought out during the course of the trial, although no inkling of the reason for his Columbus visit was offered in the courtroom yesterday.

The former attorney general's presence at the April conference was revealed in a sickbed deposition from Clyde Sharp, a state bank examiner, ill at Ada, O., which was read into the court records yesterday.

The deposition was introduced as another stroke from the legal brush of the state prosecuting staff in its attempt to draw a picture of the fraud upon the operation of the Washington C. H. banker.

FAMILY FLEES FIRE

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 17.—An overheated stove in the basement was blamed today for the fire which swept the home of Dudley Doyle here. Doyle and his family of eleven narrowly escaped from the blazing house. Damages of \$10,000 were done by the conflagration, it was estimated today.

MASKED GUNMEN ROB TRAIN PASSENGERS

Pair Escape After Ob-
taining \$1,000 In
Cash As Loot

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 17.—Two masked gunmen who last night held up the observation coach of the Crescent Limited, crack New York-New Orleans train, were still at large today.

The pair escaped in a running gun battle after pulling the air brakes when they had completed the robbery. They obtained about \$1,000 in cash loot.

With bandanna handkerchiefs screening their faces, the bandits

boarded the train as it was leaving the Newman depot. They forced their way into the observation car by breaking the glass in a vestibule door.

Hurriedly taking all available valuables and cash from some ten or twelve passengers in the observation car, the robbers applied the air brakes to stop the train, then ran to an automobile parked on the highway which parallels the railroad.

A flagman opened fire on the pair as they left the train, and the bandits returned the fire as they ran to the automobile. No one on the train was injured and apparently neither gunman was hit.

F. H. Truitt, general agent for the Atlanta and West Point Railroad, announced today that the cash loot would not exceed \$1,000. Several pieces of costly jewelry were taken from women passengers, he reported.

Declare Amateur Radio Causing Interference

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Amateur radio operators are causing serious interference with commercial and government communications services by failing to adhere to the wave band allocated to them, W. D. Terrell, radio director of the commerce department, said today.

It was feared that there had been interference also with international radio communication.

"When it considered there are 18,944 licensed amateur radio

transmitting stations in the United States, it can be seen readily that off frequency operation of many stations offers a serious hazard to the efficient maintenance of radio communication services generally," Terrell said.

"It is incumbent upon amateurs as it is upon all other stations to operate according to the terms of their licenses and the provisions of the law. Commerce department supervisors of radio throughout the United States have been instructed to watch the operation of amateur stations more closely."

Amateurs face penalties for failing to adhere to frequency. Also they face more strict regulation.

Terrell said the high regard in which amateurs are held was responsible for their official recognition at the last internal radiotelegraph convention and that unless they maintain their reputation as a self-regulating body certain of the privileges they now enjoy may be restricted at the next conference to be held next year in Madrid.

NICKELS FARM BILL PASSED BY SENATE; OFFERS TAX RELIEF

Measure Is Attacked By
Minority Group Dur-
ing Debate

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—Deaf to the protests of two rural members, the state senate sent its Nickels farm relief bill to the house of representatives today, after having attached to its own endorsement last night by a 23 to 5 vote.

Consideration of the bill, which permits county commissioners to reimburse farmers who have been charged excessive road taxes, resulted in a spirited debate on the floor between Senator Walter G. Nickels (R) of New Philadelphia, author of the bill, and Senator D. J. Gunset (D) of Van Wert.

Warning the senate that "we must not perpetrate one wrong to correct another," Senator Gunset voted against the measure, as did Senator T. E. Williams (D) of Celina in a neighboring rural district.

Nickels said his bill is designed to allow county commissioners to conduct hearings and pay back tax money to farmers whose property abutting expensive roads has been unjustly assessed.

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DRESDEN BANK CLOSES DOORS

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—Upon request of its own officers, the Dresden State Bank of Dresden, Muskingum County, with capital stock of \$25,000, was taken over for liquidation today by State Bank Superintendent Ira J. Fulton.

Steady withdrawal of funds during the past five weeks, and unusually heavy withdrawals for the past few days necessitated the action, it was said.

A. C. Krug, Newark, was sent to Dresden to supervise the bank temporarily. J. O. Carnes is president and cashier of the bank; D. F. Pouts, vice president.

The bank reported total resources of \$311,261 on December 31, 1930.

BLONDE GUNWOMAN CELEBRATES 22ND. BIRTHDAY IN JAIL

In Good Spirits As
Lawyers Prepare To
Thwart Death

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Feb. 17.—While her attorneys hopefully departed for Harrisburg to present a final appeal to the state pardon board for a commutation of sentence, Irene Schroeder, the blonde gunwoman under sentence for the slaying of Corporal Brady Paul, celebrated what may be her last birthday.

Irene—22 years old today—is now under death watch with her sweetheart, Glenn W. Dague. Only the pardon board can save the pair from paying the supreme penalty for the murder of Paul. The ray of hope for the couple today appeared dim.

Relatives of the convicted gunwoman visited her yesterday. They declared the woman seemed to be in good spirits and that she is hopeful of being spared from death.

The plea of the Schroeder woman and Dague will be presented to the pardon board sometime tomorrow. Their attorneys, enroute to Harrisburg, planned to stop off at Johnston for a conference with P. A. Rose, attorney who has been retained by Mrs. Ella J. Mountz to assist in the plea for commutation of their sentence from death to life imprisonment.

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NORWALK BUSINESS BUILDINGS BURNED

NORWALK, O., Feb. 17.—Three frame buildings, located on E. Main St., near the Junior High School, were partially destroyed by fire today, causing a damage of \$10,000.

The buildings damaged were the James Sofios restaurant, the Samuel Spinello shoe repair shop and an automobile tire warehouse.

The fire is believed to have been caused by an overheated stove in the shoe repair establishment. Machinery, valued at several thousand dollars in the shop shop, was destroyed.

PLAN MANN RITES
NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Mischa Elman, noted violinist, will play and Rose Ponselle, opera star, will sing at funeral services here tomorrow for Louis Mann, veteran actor. Rabbi Stephen Wise will have charge of the funeral service.

HYMIE'S SWEETIE



DEMOCRAT LEADERS "VIEW WITH ALARM" RASKOB PARTY CALL

Fear Prohibition May
Arise To Overthrow
Party Harmony

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Prohibition bitterness lies so close to the surface in Democratic affairs that party leaders in congress are viewing with undisguised uneasiness the national rally which Chairman John J. Raskob has called to meet in Washington two weeks from tomorrow.

The meeting, which will bring together the national committee men and committee women from all the states for the first time since September 1928, was called by Chairman Raskob ostensibly to discuss party finances and discuss future policies and activities.

But the southern drys are frankly suspicious. They suspect that there is a deep underlying plot in connection with the meeting that has for its object the commitment of the party to the wet side of the prohibition question. They are accordingly, going into the meeting prepared to fight at the first mention of prohibition.

Senator Morrison of North Carolina, who in the few weeks he has been in the senate has blossomed forth as a dry leader, revealed the suspicions of his southern colleagues in yesterday's rough and tumble debate.

"It's Morrison," observed Senator Heflin of Alabama.

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On receipt of an invitation to speak at a legislative committee meeting here when a referendum proposal is to be discussed Wednesday night, Senator Brookhart replied that web have two reasons for advocating repeat:

"1. They want to attract the attention of the country away from the present economic conditions which the financial rule of our country has created.

2. They want to tax intoxicating liquor, especially beer, to reduce their own taxes, which they now must pay the federal government."

Senator L. L. Marshall (R) of Cleveland, author of a joint resolution asking congress to call a constitutional convention to consider amendments, was amazed at the answer.

"I'd like to have him at the meeting here, I'd like to argue against anyone willing to put up such an argument," Marshall said.

"Have you received acceptances from any other celebrities you invited?" Marshall was asked.

"No, but if Brookhart comes, we won't need anyone else," he replied.

Brookhart won't come, however. He is opposed to the idea of holding a convention, other amendments are more important than prohibition, and the constitutional convention has never represented the voice of the people and never will anyway, he said in his letter.

"If conventions were called in the states, these sinister wet forces would resort to every device of corruption and bribery known to control these conventions, regardless of the will of the people," his letter said.

Approval of the amendment and referendum suggestion reached Marshall simultaneously from Joseph R. Nutt, Cleveland, national treasurer of the Republican party.

"Our plan takes the liquor question out of politics and gives all the people a chance to express themselves," he wrote.

Declining Marshall's invitation, Henry W. Anderson, who wrote an individual minority report in the Wickersham committee statement, answered that "we made our report after much study and that speaks for itself."

BANDITS FOILED

ZANESVILLE, O., Feb. 17.—Because she was "too frightened to give away anything," Miss Eleanor Downey, cashier of the Imperial Theater in this city, triumphed over three bandits armed with a gun and a revolver bullet.

Jumping from his disabled car,

the bandit was knocked over by

the bumper of Wallace's machine,

and attempted to elude Patrolman Michael Wallace who took up the chase in his own machine.

Rubber and policeman exchanged

shots as the chase continued

throughout east Cleveland streets

until the gas tank of the bandit's

car finally was drained after it had

figured in a collision with another

machine and the policeman had

punctured a rear tire with a re-

volver bullet.

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TELLING the WORLD'S NEWS with PICTURES



N. J. Woman May Get Chair Pedigreed Pelts



Jersey justice again refused to move in the decision handed down by the Court of Error and Appeals in the case of Mrs. Hattie Evans (above) of Lakehurst, N. J., convicted of complicity in the slaying of her husband, Robert Evans.

Wins Battle With Darkness



Booth Tarkington, famous novelist, whose works have won him a unique spot in the heart of the American youth, has won a heroic fight against blindness,

by means of a recent operation, said to be successful. The author is shown above talking it over with Mrs. Trotter in her home at Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia.

CAMERA SEES A SUBDUED CLARA



Clara Bow doesn't look a bit like her usual self in this dreamy pose, does she? Perhaps she's thinking how lonely the famous are.

Sport of Kings Thrills Rudy



Rudy Vallee, who can croon and croon while feminine adores swoon and swoon, gets a thrill at the races at Miami Beach, Fla. The favorite crooner is

shown with Mrs. Frank Bruen, wife of the former vice-president of Madison Square Garden and famed matchmaker of the ring.

Alicia Patterson, well-known American aviatrix, accompanied by Elizabeth Chase, of Chicago, left Sydney, Australia, to Darwin, North Australia, 1,900 miles away. Most of the route will take the daring girls over the practically uninhabited desert of the interior. From Darwin the girls will proceed to Java, Singapore, China and the United States.

Her Story of Oregon Trail Wins Gold Medal



This 16-year-old junior student at Lincoln High School, Portland, Oregon, has been awarded the Oregon Trail Gold Medal for the best story of the opening of the West. She beat Miss Hilda Gilliam and her manuscript was adjudged the best among many thousands submitted.

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Thrills--Arrest--Remorse



The gang of which Margaret Murray (left) was one of the leaders, has been broken up and she and Julia Murray (right) wife of one of the young mobsters, are in a New York City jail. Both Julia and her sis-

ter-in-law have made damaging admissions concerning the confessions of two of the gang that they killed their leader, Stephen Sweeney, and participated in \$600 holdups.

King Tut's Successor



Miss Kirsten Larsen, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is fondling the Elk hound pup that has just been imported from Norway for President Hoover. It will take the place of "King Tut," White House Belgian shepherd dog that died recently and is a gift of the Norwegian Elk Hound Association of America.

Rescued From Florida Waters



Fred G. Norman with his wife and their thirteen-year-old son, Fred, Jr., pictured following their rescue in the water off Miami, Fla., following the series of blasts on the sight-seeing boat Eureka. Norman is a sergeant of the New York City police.

Denies Killing Father



"I don't know," has been the pathetic cry of Gladys Deer (above) 21-year-old girl of Athens, Ohio, charged with slaying her father with a butcher's knife, to question of Athens County officials. She found the body but denies knowledge of the crime.

Younger Set Leader



Miss Mary Brown Warburton is one of the most popular of the younger set leaders in the winter colony in Florida. She is pictured at the Hialeah race tracks at Miami, a favorite rendezvous of the smart set.

Perfect Gentleman IN HONOR OF FATHER OF COUNTRY



Tina Tweedie, Chicago night club entertainer, has come to the defense of Leo V. Brothers, who will soon go on trial charged with the murder of Alfred ("Jake") Lingie, Chicago reporter. Tina says Brothers is a "perfect gentleman" and adds that she does not believe he ever carried a gun.

Just Like Mother's!



Little Anne Witwer, (above) will not be overshadowed by the growing fashion parades at Miami Beach Fla. Anne is shown in her pajama ensemble, which is the "dernier cri" in a resort where fashion is a religion. Being ready for anything, she's happy.

She'd Keep Mere Man From Meddling in Job



The Kentucky courts are trying to decide if Mrs. Irene Garrett, safety director of Covington, is boss or if Joseph Fisher, who is boss of the police and fire departments, is her boss. Mrs. Garrett is the only woman safety director in America.

Boy Scout Girl



Miss Ethel Hornig, of Syracuse, N. Y., proudly displays her hat and insignia as a member of Troop 79, Boy Scouts of America, in which she was recently accorded membership. She is said to be the first American girl to hold the paradoxical rank of "Boy Scout Girl."



Wynne Gibson, screen player, Washington's birthday. What do you think of it, girls?

CHILDREN? NOPE, SAYS ESTELLE



Children do not enter their plans for the future at all, Mrs. Jack Dempsey (Estelle Taylor of the motion picture screen) told New Orleans, La., reporters. Photo shows the Dempseys in their New Orleans hotel suite, while Mrs. Dempsey gives an interview.



Where once devout citizens of Montreal, Canada, knelt in prayer in the Church of St. Dennis, is now a ruin with bare walls and tattered towers, a result of the disastrous fire which swept the edifice. Several firemen were injured fighting the blaze, which caused damage estimated at \$300,000.

Both Hale and Happy



After a long period of conventional difficulties, Jessie Matthews and Sonny Hale are married. The popular English actors are shown immediately after the ceremony was performed in London. Miss Matthews confessed infidelity to obtain her divorce, while Evelyn Laye freed Sonny Hale through the courts.

Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show our friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page which serves you so well. The Gazette considers it a favor whenever you tell us in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

BEREANS ENTERTAINED ON MONDAY EVENING.

Thirty members of the Berean Bible Class of the First Reformed Church were entertained at the February social meeting of the class at the home of Mrs. M. A. Smith, N. Detroit St., Monday evening. A social time was enjoyed during the evening and several games and contests were in play. A prize was awarded Mrs. J. R. McCorkell.

At the close of the evening's entertainment a delicious refreshment course was served with appointments suggestive of the approach of George Washington's birthday being employed. Mrs. Smith's assistants for the evening were Mrs. Ralph Weaver, Mrs. L. D. Chitt, Mrs. Clyde Egbert, Mrs. Una Harbison, Miss Pauline Gordin, Mrs. Clarence Jeffries, Mrs. J. Kennedy and Mrs. Frank Wolf, Jr.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS VALENTINE PARTY.

Miss Helen Everhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Everhart, Chestnut St., was hostess to members of the Sunday School class of the First M. E. Church, taught by Mrs. Roy Buckles, at her home Friday evening. The party was in the nature of a Valentine party and after a short business session games and contests were enjoyed. Prizes were won by Evelyn Chance and Helen Luttrell.

A large Valentine box from which Valentines were distributed was a feature of the party. Later a refreshment course was served with Valentine suggestions being carried out in the appointments. Those present at the party were Helen Luttrell, Eleanor Chance, Pauline Wilson, Jessie Blair, Junior Everhart, Mrs. Buckles and the hostess.

TWELFTH BIRTHDAY OCCASION FOR PARTY

Eleanor Baxley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baxley, S. Detroit St., was a charming little hostess to a group of her school friends at her home Saturday afternoon in celebration of her twelfth birthday. Games and music were enjoyed and prizes in contests were won by Mary Esther Lackey and Eleanor Ackley.

Refreshments were served during the afternoon and Valentine appointments were used. Favors of baskets of candies were presented to the guests. Eleanor's guests for the afternoon were Martha Jane Maxwell, Helene Smith, Ellen Heather, Mary Esther Lackey, Jane Confer, Eleanor Ackley, Edith Mahnleister, Janet Hamilton and Marjorie Trubee.

XENIANS ATTEND REGIONAL MEETING

The Misses Maude Voris and Faye Cavanaugh, this city, were in attendance Saturday and Sunday at a regional meeting of the Ohio Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs which was held in Bellefontaine. Miss Marion McClintch, Ann Arbor, Mich., president of the national federation, Miss Ethel Kyle, Toledo, state president, Miss Margaret Baker, Springfield, state legislative chairman, Miss Anna Marie Tennant, state emblem chairman and Miss Jessie Beem, president of the Bellefontaine Club were speakers on the program at the two day meeting.

ENTERTAINER TO APPEAR BEFORE B. P. W. CLUB

Miss Jessie G. German, Zanesville, will present a program of readings, dialect numbers and dramatic monologues when she appears as guest artist before members of the Xenia B. P. W. Club at their February meeting at the K. of H. Hall Thursday evening. Miss German comes well recommended to the local club and members are looking forward to an entertaining evening.

Dinner will be served at 5:45 o'clock at the hall and will be under the direction of Mr. Jacob Kaby.

HILL TOP CLUB IS ENTERTAINED SATURDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Trubee entertained members of the Hill Top Club at their home on S. Monroe St., Saturday evening. Music and games were enjoyed and a covered dish supper was served later in the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trubee, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Spriggs, Mr. and Mrs. Blondie Bone, Mr. and Mrs. Lossa Massie and children, Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mrs. Belle Dorrell, Mr. John Thompson and Mr. Carl Homes.

ENTERTAIN WITH VALENTINE PARTY

A Valentine party was enjoyed by a group of boys and girls Monday evening when they were entertained by Lucille and Irene Thompson at their home on Home Ave. Games, contests, and dancing were enjoyed during the evening and Valentines were exchanged.

Later a refreshment course was served. The Thompson home was decorated with bouquets of sweet peas in various hues.

Betty Jane Van Tress, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Tress, died at her parents' home near New Burlington Sunday morning. The baby lived only a few hours after birth. Burial was made in Spring Valley Cemetery Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Price and family, Mrs. Anna Stauffer, Pauline and Junior Stauffer, of Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. William Codde and family, Columbus, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Price, Jamestown Pike. The dinner was in celebration of the fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Price.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. Elmer Shaffer, Chestnut St., Monday evening, January 23, to sew carpet rags. All members are asked to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Payne, who operate the Old Mill Camp near Cedarville, returned home Saturday after spending several months in Florida.

LIBRARIAN ISSUES CHECKS FOR SALARY AFTER JOB ASSURED

Dayton Woman Casts Only Dissenting Vote At Meeting

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—His appointment having been confirmed despite protests of Mrs. Dwight Young, Dayton, and the Ohio Library Association, State Librarian John Henry Newman today distributed to employees the pay checks which he held up during a dispute concerning his right to the position.

Newman refused to issue salary checks at the regular time yesterday, declaring that he had no right to do so until the library board had officially appointed him.

At the close of a special meeting of the board held here to reconsider his appointment because Mrs. Young, a new appointee to the board, had not been notified of the February 2 meeting when he was named, Newman said he would distribute checks today.

Newman's appointment, at the recommendation of Gov. George White, was confirmed by a vote of 4 to 1 at yesterday's meeting. Mrs. Young voting against the motion because she declared she wanted "the librarian's job taken out of politics."

The way was left open for rescinding the action, however, when Director of Education John L. Clifton, chairman, called a meeting of the board for March 31 when the members are asked to conduct a two-day investigation of state library conditions.

If the board decides at that time that it wishes to appoint another in Newman's place, it will have the right because the librarian is not appointed for a definite term.

Mrs. Young said at yesterday's meeting that she understands Carl Smith, Kenton, recently appointed assistant librarian, has been promised Newman's job in a few weeks. Other members of the board denied knowledge of such an arrangement.

RADIO FEATURES IN OHIO

TUESDAY
By International News Service
Paul Whiteman's Paint Men, WJZ (NBC network) 8:00 p. m.
Coon Sanders' Dance Orchestra, WEAF (NBC network) 8:30 p. m.
Death Valley Days, WJZ (NBC network) 9:30 p. m.
Radio Playhouse, WABC (CBS network) 10:30 p. m.
Granite Hour, WLW, Cincinnati, 11:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY
By International News Service
Bobby Jones, Golf Chats, WEAF (NBC network), 8:00 p. m.
Musical Cocktail, WABC (CBS network), 8:30 p. m.

Deep River Orchestra, WJZ (NBC network), 9:30 p. m.
Columbia Symphony Orchestra, WABC (CBS network), 10:30 p. m.
Vincent Lopez and his Orchestra, WEAF (NBC network), 11:00 p. m.

OHIOANS WIN CASH IN RACE LOTTERY

ST. JOHNS, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Two Ohioans, N. G. Alexander of Clyde, and Pearl Grether, South Zanesville, will receive \$4,805.98 each for holding tickets on unplaced starters in the army and navy veterans sweepstakes for the Havana mile run Sunday at Oriental Park.

Grand prize winners who will divide \$417,476.80 for their winning tickets include three Americans and one Canadian. They may thank the gallant efforts of Belgian Lass for their new fortunes.

Mrs. Norman Cowgill and daughter, Norma Jean, have returned to their home in Delaware, O., after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Glass and Mrs. C. P. Glass, 537 W. Main St.

Miss Ella Ambuhl, E. Main St., has returned home after a short visit with Miss Frances Ambuhl, who is employed at the Newberry Library, Chicago.

Regular meeting of Daughters of Union Veterans will be held in Post Hall, Court House, Tuesday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

Women of the sewing group of the Service Class of the Second U. P. Church will hold a covered dish dinner Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. A. Bickett, Jamestown Pike. All women of the class are invited to attend.

Mrs. Mary Cosley, W. Second St., continues to show improvement at McAllan Hospital following a serious operation and is now able to receive visitors.

The Rebekah thimble party which was to have been held Thursday evening has been postponed until the first meeting night in March. The degree staff will hold its regular practice Thursday evening, it is announced.

Miss Mary Dodds, Toledo, returned to that city Monday after spending the week end with her mother, Mrs. John A. Dodds, W. Third St.

Regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. Church will be held in the church parlor Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

EATS DINNER, THEN COMMITS SUICIDE

POMEROY, O., Feb. 17.—Efforts were being made here today to learn the motive behind the act of Sam P. Russell, 54, who, after eating his dinner yesterday, walked into the bedroom of his home and committed suicide by firing one shot into his left breast.

Russell is survived by a widow and two sons, Ralph, of Pomeroy, and Wayne of Columbus.

TENNISON COMING

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Lord Tenison, grandson of the English poet, will arrive here tomorrow. It is his first visit to America.

CHARLES HATFIELD SUCCUMBS MONDAY

As the result of a sudden heart attack suffered Sunday morning, Charles S. Hatfield, 63, prominent farmer and cattle breeder, died at his home near Clifton Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He had served as vice president of the Clark County Farm Bureau during the past year.

Mr. Hatfield was well known as a cattle breeder and had made several trips to the Jersey Islands in quest of pure bred cattle. He was a member of the K. of P. Lodge at Clifton. He never married and is survived by one sister, Mrs. Jessie R. Stretcher, Yellow Springs. Two nephews, Edwin E. Stretcher and Dr. Robert Stretcher, of North Carolina and a niece, Miss Helen Anderson, Chicago, also survive.

Funeral services will be held at the home on the Old Clifton Road, two miles north of Clifton. Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock when the car stopped suddenly as Mr. Bennington applied the brakes.

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City, Okla.: Homer Ross, New York; Mrs. John Ary, Xenia and John Ross, Jamestown. A sister, Mrs. Eliza Robinson, Jamestown, also survives besides seven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements have not been made and will be announced later.

MOTHER OF FORMER XENIAN IS CALLED

Mrs. Willard R. Bennington, 423 N. Galloway St., is recovering from painful cuts about the face and head received Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock when she was thrown against the windshield of the automobile in which she was riding. Mr. Bennington was driving and Miss Fannie K. Haynes, W. Church St., was a passenger.

The accident occurred on Lonsdale Ave., Dayton, when the party was returning home after visiting Mrs. Bennington's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Allen, 18 Lonsdale Ave., Mr. Bennington was driving a new car and Mrs. Bennington was thrown against the windshield when the car stopped suddenly as Mr. Bennington applied the brakes.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin, but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord. Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof.—Romans, vi, 11, 12.

HAS COMPENSATION

A university professor contributes to a depressed world the enlivening thought that, after all, a situation that compels people to stop and think has its compensations. The observant president once remarked that thinking is an unpopular pastime with most people. Add the two thoughts together and they provide a yardstick by which to measure the benefits which the period of depression through which the world is now passing is likely to confer upon it. Speculating in that direction does no harm. Optimism always is more comfortable than pessimism.

When things are running smoothly, we are prone to take for granted that they will continue to do so, and that it is wise to let well enough alone. When they go wrong, we begin to examine the social mechanism to find out what has made it stop. There is abundant and varied evidence that this is being done today. Suggestions for overcoming industrial stagnation now come as numerously to the editor's mail box as letters on the merits and demerits of prohibition. They are mostly impracticable; but they do show that people are thinking—or trying to. Other evidence points to the fact that men and women in positions of political and industrial responsibility are giving serious thought to the problem of preventing future business depressions. The thinking process has even reached congress, which seems to think that the country will think more of it if it closes its desk on March 4 and goes into a well earned obscurity.

So far, so good. We do think more, when times are bad, as the devil did when he fell ill; but when things pick up again, shall we be devil or saint, with our reasoning faculties? Can we dare hope that the impetus depression has given to thinking will carry the process any distance into the state of prosperity which past experience tells us must come again? Or shall we permit our gray matter to take a holiday, as soon as the pressure of hard times on it is relieved? The answer is something that even a professor might well hesitate to venture.

TIME WASTED?

While it is true that at this stage of the game the people of the United States really are anxious to have congress do just one thing, pass the appropriations bills, shut up shop and go home, and while the nation will be inclined to condone other sins of omission if only the body will arrange matters so that there will be no special session, it does not follow that the country is going to be pleased with the record made by its legislators in Washington since last December, or that they are without blame.

The country needs the enactment of practical measures dealing with limitation of immigration, with the regulation of motorbuses and trucks in interstate commerce, with the development of aircraft, and with several other similar matters. But it is too late for anything of that sort now. Lacking some veritably miraculous change of heart and method in congress, the record is made. The nation must put up with as notorious a service of incompetency and contemptibility as any congress ever has achieved, and be thankful it was no worse.

Instead of inventing gay "host suits," why don't they put the waiters et cetera in uniforms?

If those senators who cannot understand why the country distrusts them would read their own speeches and study their own records, their amazement would disappear and maybe some of them would even vote against themselves at the next election.

Perhaps the young Swedish prince thinks, too, that there is more future in the life of a commoner than there is in being a member of a class which is showing a distinct tendency to be here today and gone tomorrow.

Possibly in future times these days may become known as the age in which all sorts of noises were invented.

After all, there are few people who are unwilling to be "pauperized" under sufficiently attractive conditions.

ALL of US

—By—
MARSHALL MASLIN

BABY IN THE CARRIAGE

Don't look at me like that, Baby in the Carriage. I know you haven't much to do, waiting there on the sidewalk for your mother to come back, but you needn't be looking at me so. Didn't your mother ever tell you it is rude to stare? She didn't? Well, it is.

I've seen that same look on other babies' faces and I know what it means. You're feeling superior, that's it, and I don't like it. Some people say that when a baby looks at you with that straight, steady stare, he isn't really thinking anything at all. He's just looking! But I don't believe it—I'm sure you're making a judgment and it isn't a kind one, either.

You're thinking to yourself: "Grown-ups are funny looking things. They have wrinkles, double-chins, mustaches, gray hair, no hair at all, red noses; they scowl, they laugh, they look so terribly important, they're funny. And they don't look very happy, either... I'm not going to be like that when I'm grown up and walking about the streets of a city. I'll be tall and straight and ALIVE. I'll be strong and hopefully full of energy. I'll be different!"

Baby, I hope you are. I hope you're everything you want to be and that you stay young inside, forever and forever. But don't feel so superior. Don't try to avoid the troubles and the responsibilities that put that proud look of suffering on the faces of men and women. Don't try to be like that. Don't sniff at us. We were babies once, too, and we stared at grown-ups as you do now, and we felt superior, too.

But we grew and we learned. We suffered and we gained. We aren't wise, but we know a few things that some day you will know. You can reproach us, of course, but we have done our best and we can't help it if, in growing older, we have grown to look funny to you. Inside of us we are still little children. We pretend to be big and we swell out our chests, but we know hardly anything at all. We're pretending, but we're trying hard, as well.

Baby in the Carriage, be gentle to us stumbling sinners. Give us probation, at least. Give us another chance.

Smile a little, show your dimples. Don't stare at us like that. There comes your mother. Waggle your rattle at her and gurgle and grunt, but don't tell her what we've been talking about. It's a secret.

THE QUESTION BOX

Central Press Wash. Bureau

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When and where was Napoleon Bonaparte born? What was the cause of his death?

Napoleon Bonaparte was born at Ajaccio, on the island of Corsica, August 15, 1769. He died of cancer of the stomach, May 5, 1821, on the island of St. Helena.

ST. VALENTINE

What is the origin of Valentine's Day?

Valentine was the name of several saints and martyrs of the Christian church. February 14 is observed as the day of seven of them, and the veneration of the head of an eighth. These martyrs had lived in various parts of the world—France, Belgium, Spain, Africa—but the two greatest were a priest at Rome and a bishop in Umbria, both of whom lived in the third century. St. Valentine's Day is more famous, however, as a lovers' festival; this has no connection with the saints, but is perhaps the survival of an old festival, of a similar nature, in the Roman Lupercalia. It was observed particularly in England, but to a certain extent upon the continent, too; mention of it is found as early as Chaucer. The custom was to place the names of young men and women in a box, and draw them out in pairs on St. Valentine's eve. Those whose names were drawn together had to exchange presents and be each other's valentines throughout the ensuing year. Later only the men made presents.

WHITE HOUSE WEDDING

Who were the first persons to be married in the White House?

The first wedding to be celebrated at the White House was that of Justice Thomas Todd of the United States supreme court and Lucy Payne Washington, the widow of the nephew of George Washington, on March 11, 1811.

GEOGRAPHY

What states border on Tennessee and Missouri?

Tennessee is bordered on the north by Kentucky, on the south by Mississippi, Alabama, and Georgia, on the east by North Carolina and on the west by Arkansas and Missouri. Missouri is bordered on the north by Iowa, on the south by Kansas, on the east by Illinois, Kentucky and Tennessee, and on the west by Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma.

SOONERS

Why were Oklahomans called "Sooners"?

The citizens of Oklahoma were called "Sooners" because prospective settlers camped on the border, ready to rush across to stake out claims to get there "sooner" than others when, in 1889, congress completed the purchase of the territory from the Creek and Seminole Indians, opening the territory to settlement.

QUOTATION

Where is the line "Neither a borrower nor a lender be"? The line is from Shakespeare's "Hamlet."

MOVIE STAR

When was Charlie Chaplin born? In 1888.

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by the name of Edgar Lee Masters has a new book on the market, called "Lincoln the Man."

Mr. Masters has nothing against Lincoln except that he was a second-rater who, in law and politics, was actuated only by a wild desire to succeed.

The book is kicking up a terrific cloud of dust in New York literary circles; but it hasn't occurred to anyone yet to inquire of Edgar Lee Masters what warrant he has for serious attention.

So far as his Lincoln tirade is concerned, the only justification I can see for it is that Masters had a lot of time on his hands, a well-angled typewriter, reams of copy paper, a publisher and a good publicity man.

And in this generation of Borah, Boote and Babson.

WOLF! WOLF!

For twenty years or more old

Charlie Schwab has been making an annual pilgrimage to Europe for the purpose of telling ship news reporters on his return that "the United States is on the eve of an unprecedented era of prosperity."

As soon as the editors heard that Charlie had returned again, they'd rush the new "cut" through, and then dig out the old "prosperity" blurb for a two-column set-up on page three and wait for a "re-

lease."

This year The Worthy Brothers foisted 'em. The bunch gathered round him on the deck of the steamer. The old timer smiled knowingly.

Charlie cleared his throat. "And what would I be doing meanwhile?" jeered the boy. "Try and catch me. I'll give you the best fight you ever had in your life!"

As Ed Howe once remarked: "A reasonable probability is the only

thing."

He heralded the glad news that

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TEXAS VISITOR

Old Ed Howe's son, Gene, jour-

nalist pooh ba of Amarillo, Tex-

breezed into town the other day,

accompanied by his column fea-

ture, "O. W."—the old woman-

and "Lalapooza," as Gene designates his charming wife and their daughter, Jeanne.

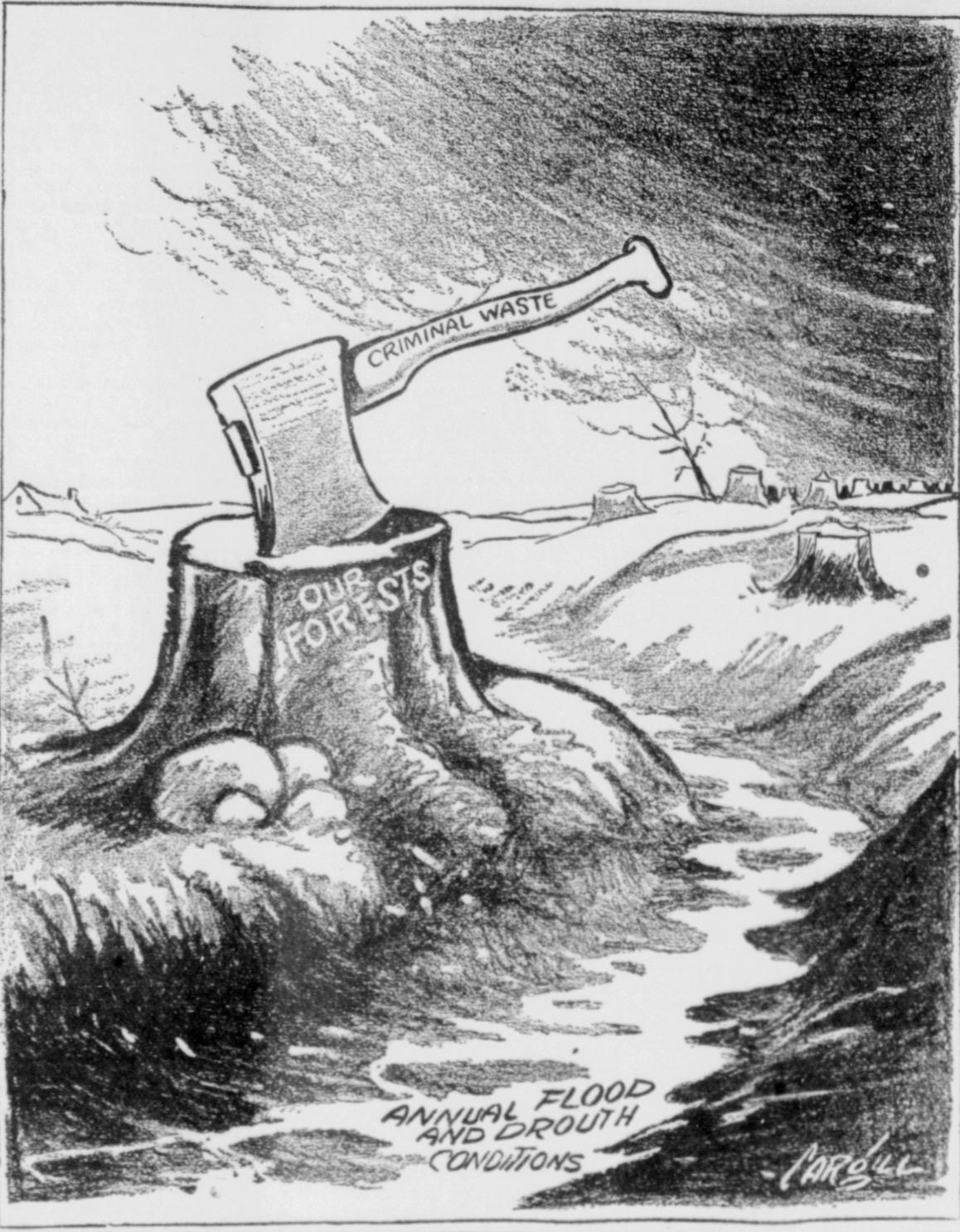
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WE CANNOT TELL A LIE, ETC.



SOUTHERN, NORTHERN SENATORS TAKE ISSUE WITH LINCOLN WRITER

CHARLES P. STEWART

WASHINGTON.—Congressional comment on Edgar Lee Masters' new book "Lincoln, the Man" in which the Spoon River Anthologist seeks to deflate the Emancipator, lacks the spice of variety to tickle a jaded palate.

G. O. P. criticism is mainly scuttle. Democratic lawmakers quite generally incline to take the position of Claude G. Bowers, who, as keynoter at the 1928 Houston convention, claimed Lincoln for his own party of today. Even southern legislators acquit him of personal responsibility for the War of Secession.

Senator Coleman L. Blease of South Carolina probably will be recognized as representative of the unreconstructed era if one is to be based at the capitol, and it is his opinion first that it is unlikely strife between the states could have been prevented in any event, and second that Lincoln by himself, as president, could not have prevented it whether or not it was preventable.

In principle, however, the Carolinian does indulge any and all attacks on popular heroes—Not only Lincoln in the North, he says, but Lee and Jackson throughout Dixie.

"When the Confederate forces

were victorious at Bull Run," continued the senator, "to whom was it that the whole South gave thanks? To the Almighty? No, no, the praise all went to Lee and Jackson. And from that day the tide turned slowly but surely in favor of the northern armies.

"I don't say it wouldn't have happened anyway, but I do say that the thanks went to human power and in the supreme test it failed. In my mind it raises the question, 'Was it a lesson?' Therefore, I am in sympathy with any attempt to counteract the defication of a mundane character whomsoever he may be."

"Washington, himself, should be an easy target, for the reason that he lived longer ago and definite information concerning him is unavailable in such convincing corroborative quantity.

"But Lincoln is almost of our own time. He was, also, so near to the people that he was known by great numbers on too intimate a basis to make it believable that contemporary estimates of him all were mis-

taken. A picture representing him as cold and unfeeling clashes with his own words as left by him in actual writing—not merely reported at second hand.

"No one is likely to accept this new estimate, for it is controverted by an overwhelming weight of indisputable evidence."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

—By MRS. MARY MORTON

MENU HINT

Calves Liver and Bacon
Baked Potatoes
Cauliflower with Cheese Sauce
Apricot Pie
Coffee
Milk

This is an inexpensive menu

provided you use beef or hog's liver in place of the more expensive calf's liver. You may use the canned apricots cooked at home in place of the canned variety if you wish.

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SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FAMED
by Phil

SPRING HILL GRADE TEAMS VICTORS IN THREE LOOP GAMES

MRS. WATSON DIES

Mrs. Victoria Ware Watson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. June Ware, 1007 E. Market St., passed away Monday night about 12 o'clock at a hospital in Piqua, O., where she had undergone an operation for appendicitis. She was a member of the Zion Baptist Church, joining when a little girl. Besides her parents she is survived by one son, Nathan, two brothers, Arthur and James Ware and a host of relatives and friends. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Spring Hill fourth graders defeated McKinley 45 to 0 in the opening contest of the evening. The score at the half was 3 to 0. Knisely added a field goal in the final quarter for the only score of the second half and played the best game for the winners. Miller also played well for the winners while Richards was the outstanding player for the losers.

The second game of the evening was to be a walk away for the Spring Hill fifth graders over the McKinley 5B boys. The final score was 25 to 10. The score at the half gave the Spring Hill boys a 9 to 6 lead. Fuller scored eleven points for the winners and was followed closely by Myers with eight. Action and Stevens scored four points apiece for the losers.

In the final game of the evening the Spring Hill sixth graders won out over McKinley 6B boys 23 to 4. Leach played but two quarters for the winners, but was high scorer for the evening with ten points. Turner, star forward, played a good game for the winners and scored six points. The Spring Hill boys put up a strong defense with which the McKinley boys could not cope. Lowry was the main scorer for the losers.

FRESHMEN RECEIVE FIRST DEFEAT FROM JUNIOR CLASS TEAM

The freshman basketball team lost its first game in the inter-class tournament Monday night when the Juniors rallied to victory by an 18 to 10 score. The freshmen were outclassed from the start of the contest, but put up a stiff fight throughout the entire game. Francis Dalton was ineligible to play for the freshmen thus lessening the strength of their attack.

The score at the half gave the juniors a 13 to 7 advantage over the yearlings. Lightbiser was the main cog in the offense of the juniors scoring nine points. "Red" Hook was high scorer for the freshmen and played his usual good floor game. Lineups:

Juniors	G.	F.	P.
Beacham, f	1	1	3
Lighthiser, f	4	1	3
Hall, c	0	0	0
Frazer, g	1	0	2
Sheets, g	1	0	2
Baldner, g	1	0	2
Wagner, g	0	0	0
Totals	8	2	18
Freshmen	G.	F.	P.
Foley, f	0	1	1
Whittington, f	1	0	2
Luttrell, c	1	0	2
Hook, g	2	0	4
Adair, g	0	0	0
Short, f	0	1	1
Totals	4	2	10
Referee: Wilson, Muskingum.			

Wonder what became of Xenia Central's faculty basketball team this season?

As a supplementary feature of the Miami Valley League competition, there should be inaugurated a court rivalry between faculty members of the six schools.

Maybe this plan has been thought of but has been abandoned as impractical because the Sidney High faculty would win in a walk every game played.

The Sidney faculty quintet was undefeated in five years of competition prior to the current season and the team, as far as we know, has not lost a game this season.

The old standbys, Coach Robinson, White, Slager and Snyder, were augmented this season by the addition of Woolweaver and Henderson, new faculty members, and it was rumored that other Miami Valley League faculties, when approached for a game, immediately started a heated discussion of the Einstein theory or anything else to change the subject.

ST. BRIGID PLAYS ALUMNI THURSDAY NIGHT AT CENTRAL

With a record of one victory and two defeats in three starts this season, the St. Brigid Parochial High School basketball team will attempt to acquire a 50% percentage at the expense of a school alumni quintet Thursday night at 8 o'clock at Central High gymnasium.

The St. Brigid alumni will present a strong array of court talent. Among former stars of the school who will don uniforms again is John Ernst, probably the outstanding basketball player developed at the local school in recent years. Other alumni players will include W. Kennedy, N. Donovan, W. Neville, P. Campbell, F. McCormick, J. Cain, J. Gelger and P. Comick.

The 1931 St. Brigid cagers have been rapidly rounding into form and after losing their first two starts, exhibited a reversal of form and won their last game handily, defeating St. Mary's High of Piqua.

Bowling

Recording a three-game total of 2,820, the Schmidt Oil Co. bowling team, which has not lost hope of overtaking the league - leading Greene County Lumber Co. quintet, won three games in a row from the American Legion in a Recreational League match Monday night. "Butch" Muhlenhard had a series of 594 for the winners, while Purdon and Gannon each totalled 534 pins for the Legion. Box score: Schmidt Oil Co.

White 212 171 168
W. Smith 152 191 187
Wagner 177 223 167
Muhlenhard 188 212 194
Malavazos 205 186 187

Totals 934 983 993

American Legion 167 210 157

Burnette 125 155 151

Sharp 157 149 145

R. Smith 158 180 177

Gannon 206 157 171

Totals 813 851 807

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FLOWERS for all occasions. R. O. Douglas, Florist. Ph. 549-W.

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LOST—On street, brown leather billfold containing papers, currency and change. Thursday, George Amole, Lower Bellbrook Pike. Reward.

10 Beauty Culture

ELEANOR DIMMITT Beauty Shop,

12 Leaman St. Expert beauty work and permanents. Haircuts, 25¢.

12 Roofing, Plumbing

PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co., 415 W. Main, Xenia, Ohio.

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PAPER HANGING. Guaranteed work. Price, 15¢ per roll. Elbert Manor. Phone 30-W-2 between 5 and 6 p.m.

17 Commercial Hauling

MOVE WITH GILBERT. Our motor vans mean speed and saving for your transfer work. Dayton, Xenia and Wilmington Motor Line. 136 W. Main, Xenia, Ohio.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

3 GOOD draft mares. F. B. Turnbull, Cedarville. Phone 15.

HORSES 3 YR old mule, brown. Also fresh cow. Edw. A. Hartsock, Spring Valley, Ohio.

DUROC BREED GILTS for sale. March and April farrows. R. C. Watt and Son, Cedarville, Ohio.

27 Wanted To Buy

SOUR CREAM, highest price paid. Cash. Wolf's Dairy, rear 220 S. Whitman St. Ph. 194.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale

BABY CARRIAGE, walker and sewing machine. Call Co. 30-R-2.

SEE THE Apartment Clothes Washer at Eichman's Ideal for the small family laundry. Operates by air. Economical and handy.

FORDSON TRACTOR, 4 year old horse and Troy wagon. Aaron Knick, Upper Bellbrook Pike.

PINE MAPLE WAX for sale. Ph. 1046-M.

5x12 AXMINSTER RUG, 2 good oak stands, leather bed-daypart, in good condition. Phone 72-E-12.

FORDSON TRACTOR and plow in good shape. Ford ton truck; 12-row corn plow, good as new; 3 young sows; 1 young male hog. A. J. Fury, Cedarville. Phone 4-152.

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FRESH COUNTRY lard, 11c lb. G. M. Fletcher, Yellow Springs, Route 2. Ph. 22-W.

NAPHTHA and high-test gasoline for cleaning purposes at The Carroll Binder Co., E. Main St.

ALL VARIETIES of Clover Seed at reasonable prices. Call Greene County Farm Bureau—old or Stock Yards Office—207.

CLOVER SEED. Red, Mammoth, Alsike, \$14 per bushel. D. A. Oliver. Call 74-K-2. Bowersville.

LET FUDGE repair your furniture. We will call and deliver, 23 S. Whitman St. Phone 754. Fudge Usde Furniture Store.

29 Musical—Radio

PIANOS FOR SALE—\$5.00 monthly. John Harbine, Allen Building.

30 Household Goods

FURNISHED OAK buffet for sale. Phone 423-E.

BARGAIN for young couple—Beautiful furniture of 4 rooms, only used 3 months, 3 piece silk mo-hair parlor set, 8 piece walnut dining room set, 3 piece walnut bedroom set, floor lamps, walnut occasional table, 2-8x12 Wilton rugs, 5 piece breakfast set. Will take \$500 for all or will separate. This furniture is worth \$2,000. 240 Wroe Avenue, near Five Oaks Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

THURSDAY, FEB. 19, 1931

TERMS—10% Deposit on Day of Sale. Balance when deed is completed.

FOR Further Information, Phone 46, Jamestown.

As we are dissolving partnership, at 11:00 o'clock, a.m., there will be offered at Public outcry the following chattels:

3—Head of Horses—2 General Purpose.

3—Head of Cows—3 (T. B. Tested)

Jersey, to be fresh March 3. Black Jersey Cow, 6, to freshen in April. Heifer, 6 mos. old.

3—Head of Hogs—24

4 Brood Sows to farrow in March. 25 Feeding Shoots.

FEED—Some corn in crib. Ten oats hay. About 4-ton Hungarian millet hay. Ten oats straw in barn. 600 bundles of fodder in mow. 4 bushel corn.

Full Line of Farming Implements HARNESS—For 3 head of horses. Collars, lines, bridles, halters, etc.

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CHATTEL LOANS. Notes Bought. Second Mortgages. John Harbine, Allen Building.

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At my residence on State Route No. 11, 3½ mi. east of Xenia, 7½ mi. west of Jamesport, 5½ miles south west of Cedarville, on

THURSDAY, FEB. 19, 1931

10 o'clock, 19 head of mares, farm mares, ranging in weight from 1450 to 1550. 11 head of cattle, CT. B. tested.

46 head of hogs, 13 sows to farrow last of March and first of April; 32 feeding shoots; Durco boar.

29 head of sheep—29 Delaine ewes, bred. One buck.

Some White Leghorn hens and cockerels.

Feed—200 bu. corn in crib; 40 bushels oat straw.

Full line of Farming Implements. Several sides of harness. Some household goods.

Terms—Cash.

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Col. Weikert & Gordon, A

The Theater

"Fighting Caravans" and "Trader Horn" are given the highest ratings possible in the current grading of pictures by the committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The former is a Paramount-Publis version of a Zane Grey novel, but is booked as the sound version of "The Covered Wagon" and the equal of that mighty epic of the old silent days. Gary Cooper and Lily Damita play the romantic leads but much is contributed by the work of Tully Marshall and Ernest Torrence as two old scouts. The picture is booked at the Bijou, where "The Big Trail," another epic of caravan days, was

"Many A Slip" is a Universal featuring Joan Bennett and Lewis Ayres, the latter the star of "All Quiet on the Western Front," which should come to the Orpheum. Last on the list is Dorothy Mackall's latest for Fox, "Once a Sinner." "Desert Vengeance," a Buck Jones Western, is listed but not booked here.

Twenty Years '11-Ago-'31

The smallest delinquent tax sale in Greene County in many years was that held Tuesday when only thirteen pieces of property were disposed of out of about twenty-five offered.

William Frazer, star goal tosser on the Xenia High School basketball team, is ill with chicken pox.

Mr. W. J. Galvin, Jamestown, widely known in racing circles has been elected secretary of the Ohio Racing Circuit. Redecorated both inside and outside, the Orpheum Theater, after being closed for two weeks, will be reopened Friday night.

"Trader Horn" is a Metro version of the book by Ethelreda Lewis based on the life of Aloysius Trader Horn, and is a moving spectacle of Africa reminiscent of the Martin Johnson picture. Harry Carey, Edwina Booth and Duncan Renaldo do some fine performances.

"The Criminal Code," a Columbia adopted from Martin Flavin's stage play and featuring Phillips Holmes, Walter Huston and Constance Cummings, has a good rating but is not booked locally. "The Royal Bed," a Lowell Sherman starring vehicle with Nance O'Neill and Mary Astor is booked at the Green St. Theater. It is a Radio-Keith-Orpheum, this house having taken over Radio pictures only recently. Another of the same company is "Beau Ideal," another Foreign Legion yarn, sequel to the celebrated Beau Geste, in which Ralph Forbes and Lester Vail appear. It will be shown at the Bijou. "Resurrection," the celebrated film universal made from Leo Tolstoy's novel, is slated for the Orpheum.

NOAH NUMSKULL

Now I'll tell you something! When a husband puts his foot down he generally finds he hasn't got a leg to stand on.

DEAR NOAH = IF A BURNING RAG WILL CHASE AWAY SKEETERS, WHAT WILL MAKE THE SAND FLY? ED HILL WEST PARK, OHIO

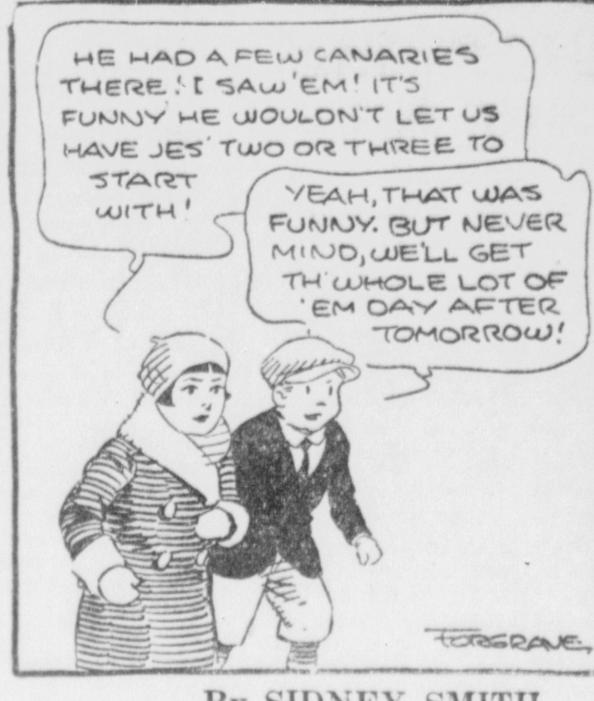
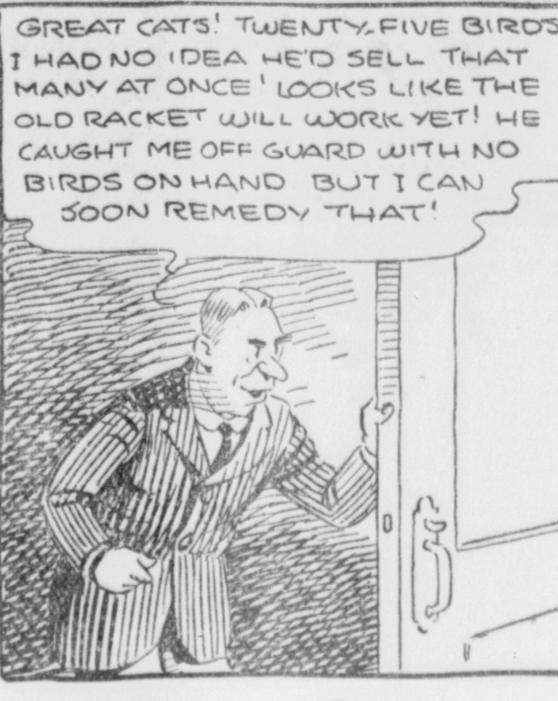
DEAR NOAH = WHAT KIND OF A CORK SCREW, I WOULD YOU USE TO PULL A WOODEN LEG? MRS. GRETNA SALVATORI, BUFFALO, N.Y.

DEAR NOAH = IS AN AVIATORS MAP CALLED HIS FLY PAPER? H. KENNETH NEWARK, N.J.

JUST AMONG US GIRLS



BIG SISTER—Nothing to Worry About



By LESLIE FORGRAVE

THE GUMPS—An Exile



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By SIDNEY SMITH

ETTA KETT—She Suddenly Loses Interest



By PAUL ROBINSON

MUGGS McGINNIS—Scotch Hospitality!



By SWAN

HIGH PRESSURE PETE—A Sandwich and Cup o' Coffee



By EDWINA

CAP" STUBBS—Just A Waste Of Time



By EDWINA

DAIRYMEN SELECT OFFICERS; ELMER HETSEL PRESIDENT

Low producing cows make their owners no money and create a surplus of dairy products, Ivan McKel-lip, told 100 Greene County dairymen last Friday on the subject "Economical Production of Dairy Products" at the Court House.

According to records kept by Greene County dairymen a cow producing 250 pounds of butterfat for the year made the owner a net profit of \$12.00. On the other hand the cow producing 550 pounds of butterfat made the owner \$74.00. It was necessary to produce 1500 pounds of butter fat on the low producing cows to give the same net profit as 550 pounds in the high producing cow. Net profit and not milk is what the dairyman is interested in, stated Mr. McKel-lip. He emphasized the value of keeping records on the production of cows to know their value and also to know how to properly feed.

T. S. Sutton of Ohio State University, speaking of "Quality Milk" said that thirty cents of every dollar is lost the producer due to producing milk of poor quality. He said high quality milk should be clean, free from disease, of good qualities, free from foreign flavors and odors and contain high food value. The effect of quality on price was emphasized by the fact that in markets where quality milk is found the per capita consumption is greater and the price received by the producer higher. Mr. Sutton urged dairymen to keep in mind three words in producing milk—clean, cool and cover.

G. V. Kuhn of the Miami Valley Association explained the proposed price plan of the association, stating that this plan was equitable to both producer and distributor.

Fred Flynn spoke of the re-routing of milk trucks and the saving that would result.

Officers of the Xenia Local of the Association were elected as follows: Elmer Hetzel, president; J. B. Conklin, vice president; J. B. Mason, secretary; J. J. Patterson, treasurer. Advisory councilmen elected were: R. O. Spahr, J. B. Mason and J. C. Bryson.

FORMER XENIANS IN TACOMA BUILDING

Opening of the new Rhodes Medical Arts building, a seventeen-story modern structure in Tacoma, Wash., on January 31 is of special significance here as two former Xenians are located in the building. They are Dr. S. Morton Creswell and Dr. Philip C. Kyle.

The building, which was opened for public inspection January 31, houses offices of physicians, surgeons and dentists. It was named after Henry A. Rhodes, pioneer Tacomian, who is now the active head of the Rainier National Park Co. and the Winthrop Hotel.

Dr. Creswell, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Creswell, Cedarville, and formerly taught at Central High School, this city, has opened an office in the building to specialize in the practice of internal medicine. Dr. Kyle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Dales Kyle, W. Church St., and is a graduate of Central High School. He specializes in obstetrics.

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**Dayton Motor
Freight
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First and Taylor Street, Dayton, Ohio. Request your Dayton shippers leave shipments at this terminal or phone the terminal Garfield 3625.

Death Cheats Actress; Mother, Is Former Xenian

TRAGEDY played the final role in the life of pretty Miss Diane Ellis, 20, motion picture actress, who died December 14 in Madras, India, while on her honeymoon with her husband, Stephen Millett, wealthy Englishman.

Miss Ellis' marriage to Millett, of England and New York, took place in Paris last autumn and it was while they were on their honeymoon, which was to be a trip around the world, that her death occurred. The body was shipped back to England and was buried in the garden at the home of Mr. Millett's mother on January 31.

Mrs. Myrtle Routzong, Hill St.; Mrs. Frank Fristoe, S. Detroit St., this city and Mrs. Calvin Hansell, Lumberton, are aunts of the actress, Mrs. Ellis being their sister. Diane was an only child.

LIBRARY ADVANTAGES EXTENDED IN 1930 ANNUAL REPORT INDICATES

A total of 144,110 books was circulated by the Greene County District Library and its branches during 1930, according to the annual report of Miss Mildred W. Sandoe, Librarian. Of this number, which was an increase of 3,456 over 1929, 88,427 books were given out at the main library on E. Church St., while 54,683 books were circulated through the branches, deposit stations and school collections.

Two outstanding features during the year were the increased use of the library by county residents and the number of people using the library after 5:30 p.m. Records show that 5,856 county borrowers used the main library in addition to the books circulated at the substations. For many years the library had not been kept open in the evenings but such a policy was adopted more than three years ago and during 1930, 17,239 readers used the library in the evening.

During the past year 2,776 books were added to the library shelves making a total of 35,652 books owned by the library on December 31, 1930. In 1930, 752 books were added to the shelves of branch libraries and 409 were added to county collections other than branches.

At the end of the year there were 9,157 registered county library readers, 6,096 of these being registered at the main library and 3,061 at county branches. These figures show that 32.3 per cent of the population of Greene County uses the library. Figures also show that the library cost each resident of the county forty-five cents for the year.

Branches are operated at Trebein, Osborn, Yellow Springs, Ross, Jamestown, Wilberforce and

Bowersville with the Yellow Springs branch ranking first in the highest number of circulations through the branches for the year. Osborn ranked second, Ross, third; Jamestown, fourth; Wilberforce, fifth and Bowersville, sixth; Branches at Caesarcreek School and Spring Valley became inactive during the year.

Greater emphasis is to be placed on the free mailing service now offered to all county library district residents this year, according to Miss Sandoe.

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We are giving more than \$5,000 in 140 prizes, in a great new plan of advertising our business. Also thousands of dollars in special rewards. In a former campaign M. C. H. Essig, a famous Actor, and his wife Edna Eller, Esq., won \$1,000. Many others won big cash prizes. Now a better campaign than ever with more prizes. In our new campaign someone wins \$2,500—why not you?

Send Today! If you send your answer to me, I will enter you in the active part, you are sure to get a special cash reward. You may win now Buck 8 Sport Sedan delivered by your nearest dealer, and \$1,000 extra for promptness. \$2,500 for the first prize. Send no money. It doesn't require a penny of your money to win.

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JAMESTOWN LEGION POST IS REVIVED

The American Legion post at Jamestown, which has been almost dormant for five years and was deprived of its charter, will be reinstated, given a new charter and reorganized into an active Legion unit February night this week.

The post will have at least fifteen charter members and officers to be elected will be installed the same evening by Joseph P. Foody Post No. 95, this city.

All members of the Xenia post are being requested to assemble at post hall in the basement of the Court House at 7 o'clock. Legionnaires will proceed in a body to Jamestown for the reorganization meeting, which will take place at 7:30 o'clock at Mauck hall.

The Jamestown post is expected to keep its former identity as far as its name is concerned, but the post number will be different.

RESTORED TO LIFE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17—Some courts order a man deprived of his life, but this court restored life to a man. Four years after he had been declared "legally dead" Antonio Farone, war veteran, has bobbed up in Italy, very much alive. As a result, Superior Judge Thomas Graham here has rescinded his order of four years ago, and has re-established Farone among the living.

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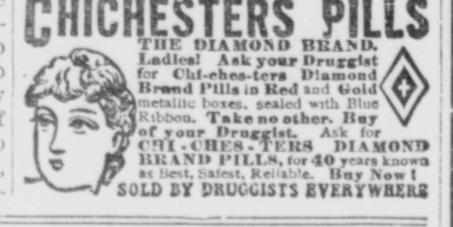
COMMITTEE REPORTS WILL BE HEARD AT LEGION CONVENTION

Reports pertaining to diversified tee; Dr. A. F. Sarver, Greenville, American Legion activities during the last year will be presented to the assembled delegates at the annual Legion conference of Legionnaires from Greene, Preble, Montgomery, Miami, Shelby, Champaign and Clark Counties, at Xenia Central High School Sunday, February 22.

The conference will begin at 9 a.m. Sunday with registration of delegates and a feature of the all-day session will be a parade in which Legionnaires will march to the O. S. and S. O. Home for a visit late in the afternoon.

Among those who will be called upon for reports are: Fred G. Mumma, Osborn, chairman of the district executive committee; Irvin W. Robins, Dayton, in charge of junior baseball; Carl N. Gibson, Eaton, in charge of 4-H Club work; R. M. Keogh, Dayton, who will report on membership; Carey Winborn, Springfield, in charge of the special colored membership committee; Karl A. Stein, Dayton, head of the post programs committee.

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JAMES RENNIE and

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A love story that shines through the muck of "pay-dirt" days—a golden girl who stakes her happiness on a game of cards, and cheats—to win the man who came to rob her of gold and took her heart.

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